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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered, prior to examination of the above-referenced patent application.

In the Specification:

On the first page of the application, replace the four reference paragraphs (i.e., lines 11-26) with the following:

"Method, System And Program Products For Efficiently Locking Resources Of A

Global Data Repository," Uceda-Sosa et al., Serial No. 09/583,797, filed May 31, 2000;

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